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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Robert Amson et al.

Title: GENES INVOLVED IN THE
MOLECULAR PATHWAYS OF TUMOR
SUPPRESSION AND/OR RESISTANCE
TO VIRUSES

Appl. No.: 09/762,249

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Examiner: Ram R. Shukla

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals from the decision of the final rejection dated July 30, 2003, and the Advisory Action dated January 22, 2004, of the Examiner finally rejecting Claims 170 and 173-177.

- [] Applicant claims small entity status.
- [X] Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:
- [X] Notice of Appeal Fee
- [X] To be paid as detailed below
- [] Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)

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The required fees are calculated below:

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$950.00
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	FEE TOTAL:	\$1170.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):	\$0.00
	TOTAL FEE:	\$1170.00

- [] Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of \$1170.00 . A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.
- [X] A check in the amount of \$1170.00 is enclosed.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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Respectfully submitted,

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